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## OLD GOLD AND BLACK COLORS FLY TRIUMPHANTLY

Cloverport High School Commencement One Of  
Enjoyment And Credit To The Graduating  
Class Of 1910--Mrs. Reid The Star.

### MISS FRANCIS SMITH THE ACCOMPANIST

As little Mr. Samuel Edward Conrad said, "The starting was fine", and everybody thoroughly enjoyed the program of the commencement of the Cloverport High School, held Friday evening in the Lucile Memorial church.

The auditorium was crowded with people, including a number of visitors from Hardinsburg.

THE MUSIC GREAT.  
Mrs. Lathrop T. Reid, who is always the queen, the star, where ever she steps, completely captivated the audience by her lovely singing "The Garden of My Heart".

COMMENCEMENT NOTES.  
Prof. Edwards, of Hardinsburg High School, was present at the exercises and enjoyed them thoroughly.

The church was crowded with friends and many were turned away. The young boys stood up in the windows and got a peep in from the West Side.

Mark Parrette received a cash gift of \$300 from his adopted parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nace Lewis. He is planning to go away to school next year.

OUT OF TOWN GUESTS.  
A well-known and enthusiastic educator present, was Prof. Joel Pile, of Hardinsburg. He and Mrs. Pile were guests of Prof. and Mrs. Tanner. Prof. Tanner was highly pleased with the co-operation given him by Father Brey.

Chorus--Ching-a-Ling--College Song  
Invocation Rev. Frank Farmer  
Duet--Race For Life--Chas. Wells  
The Shadows We Cast Misses Holder and McCracken  
Love's Caprice--Max Heindl Miss Virginia Ireland McGavock  
Silas The Bashful Miss Mildred Ditto Babbage  
Visions of Rest--Fred T. Baker Miss Katherine Wroe  
The Garden of My Heart--Caro Roma Misses McCracken, Holder and Newton  
Presentations of Diplomas Mark Lent Parrette  
Chorus--Wave of The River--I. Ivanovici Rev. C. Brey  
Benediction Juniors

## "COMET BUSINESS A NEWSPAPER LIE"

Exclaims One Reader of The  
Breckenridge News Who Has  
Not Seen the Comet--  
Cannot See it in  
the West.

### COMET PILLS ARE BITTER.

A reader of The Breckenridge News speaking to its representative Saturday said: "This here comet business is a newspaper lie. The papers have made up all this just to make their sales large, 'cause I heard a newspaper seller say he would rather have a good lie any day than a good dinner." Not a word could convince the reader, who had failed to see the comet after sitting up all night, that Halley's comet was a real celestial traveler, and that the newspapers to make a living, must tell the truth.

### Took Comet Pills.

Last Wednesday those who took the Comet Pills to protect themselves from the disastrous effects of Halley's comet found them to be a bitter dose, and made them see stars galore.

### Not a Light in the West.

If any one in Cloverport has seen the comet since it has darted to the western skies, The News has not heard of them. Late Friday afternoon the clouds were pink and lavender and light blue with golden linings, and

some gave Halley's comet credit for the beautiful colorings, but they were all caused from the same old glorious sun that sets every day.

### "Won't Have No Tail."

"Halley's comet has done lost its tail," said a small boy on the street Saturday, so when it becomes visible in the West it will not be as spectacular as it was when it came into view before sunrise. Cloverport people are getting tired and impatient with the comet, hope to have something new to talk and read about in the next week or so.

### Editor Duncan Here

Mr. and Mrs. David Duncan and children, Henry and Louise, of Brandenburg spent Sunday with Mr. Duncan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Duncan. Mr. Duncan is editor of the Meade Messenger and was formerly of the Breckenridge News.

### Delightful Young Women.

Miss Ora Hendricks, of Webster, and Miss Bessie Mitchell, of Addison, have returned to their homes. Miss Hendricks and Miss Mitchell made many good friends in Cloverport this year, and were especially liked by their pupils of the Cloverport Graded School.

### Picnic At Hardinsburg.

Irondequoit Tribe No. 38, improved order of Red Men, will hold their regular annual picnic at Hardinsburg July 4, 1910. Bills and particulars for the event will follow later.

Ahl, Allen and Elkins, Committee.

## A. A. RICHARDSON DIES AT GARFIELD.

Well-known and Wealthy Man of  
Breckenridge Goes to His  
Reward--Had Been a  
Merchant Thirty  
Years.

WAS BORN IN MEADE COUNTY.

A. A. Richardson died at his home at Garfield Sunday morning. His death was caused from heart trouble which had caused his illness for six or eight months.

Mr. Richardson was fifty-six years of age and was born in Meade county. He was twice married, his first wife was Miss Annie Snyder, and his second was Miss Laura Norton, who survives him. Besides Mrs. Richardson he leaves four children, three sons, Messrs. Earl, Ackley and Norton Richardson, and one daughter, Miss Elizabeth Richardson.

Thirty years ago Mr. Richardson started in the mercantile business at Garfield, and during that time he built a splendid trade and became one of the wealthiest merchants in the county. Mr. Richardson was of infinite value to his community, and was a leader in every good cause for his people. His death is a source of regret to many.

The deceased was a member of the Baptist church, and was an upright Christian man.

The funeral was held Monday conducted by the Rev. James T. Lewis and Rev. Mr. Shepperd, of Louisville.

Those who attended the funeral from a distance were: Mr. and Mrs. John Bruner, Mr. and Mrs. Blant Shacklette, Ekron; Mr. and Mrs. John Green, E. A. Richardson, J. D. Richardson, Louisville; O. C. Richardson, Guston; Mrs. Dr. Milner and Miss Sallie Richardson, Union Star; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Head, Irvington.

A large concourse of friends of every section of the county attended the funeral and pay their last tribute of respect to Mr. Richardson.

## NEWMAN AGAIN SEC- RETARY STATE FAIR.

Term Made Four Years To Take

The Place Out Of Politics.

Dent Votes Against  
Brother To Keep  
His Promise.

PLEDGED WORD ABOVE LOVE.

Louisville, Ky., May 21.--Placing his pledged word above his love for his brother, James L. Dent cast the deciding vote, electing a secretary of the State Fair. By the vote of Mr. Dent, J. W. Newman was re-elected for a term of four years, beginning January 1, 1910, at a salary of \$2,500 a year. Mr. Newman received five votes to the four of Emory Dent, the only other candidate for the position. The vote on the secretaryship stood: For Newman--McGrew, Adams, Scovall, Wilson and Dent. For Dent--Froman, Dorsey, Blackburn and Rankin.

Hubert Vreeland was not a candidate his friends casting their ballots for Emory Dent, in the hope that he could secure the vote of his own brother, which Vreeland was unable to obtain.

### Mr. Miller Has Mining

Interests in Nevada.

Jas. P. Miller has been here several days in the interest of his gold mines at Battle Mountain, Nevada. He is representing the Nevada Mining & Milling Co. Mr. Miller will bring his family here to live in the fall. Mr. and Mrs. Miller and children will go to Battle Mountain, Nevada, in June. After a visit there they will return to Cloverport. Mrs. Miller and children are now living in New Albany.

### Maypole Party.

The kindergarten and the music class of Miss Elizabeth May and Miss Eva May will be entertained with a Maypole party Wednesday afternoon.

### Two Little Pigs Cost \$50.

S. V. Flowers, of Patesville, received by express Saturday a pair of thoroughbred O. I. C. pigs. They cost him \$50.

## BEN JOHNSON IN RACE WITH BIG LEAD

Will Make An Aggressive Fight  
In The Gubernatorial Contest  
Gore In Charge

JOHNSON WILL VISIT US

(Juo. Wakefield in Sunday's Cincinnati Enquirer.)

J. Rogers Gore, Ben Johnson's special representative in Kentucky, is in charge of the Johnson headquarters here, which have been established and are now in full blast. Mr. Gore says that he cannot see anybody in the race for Governor except the Fourth District Congressman. In speaking of Mr. Johnson's candidacy, Mr. Gore said: "We have had our headquarters running now for some weeks and we have received encouraging news from every country and every district in the commonwealth. It is true that the names of many other Kentuckians are being mentioned for the Democratic nomination for Governor. Some of these gentlemen probably have never considered making the race, while others may be in a receptive mood, but Mr. Johnson is a candidate and will make an exceedingly aggressive campaign. "Mr. Gore was asked when Mr. Johnson would be on the field of contest himself and he replied: "Just as soon as Congress adjourns, Mr. Johnson will visit the counties of the Fourth Congressional District. After he has finished this trip he will then visit the various counties and districts throughout the State." Down in the Fourth Congressional District the Johnson boosters do not think their man can be headed off. They point to the Congressman's popularity with his home people, his successful management of Democratic interests in this State in the last Presidential campaign and his gameness and courage. In addition, they say that Mr. Johnson has demonstrated that he is one of the shrewdest and ablest men in State politics. He is a cool and level headed and is a good organizer. Mr. Johnson never becomes frustrated, but has the reputation of usually getting what he goes after and of possessing the ability of overcoming obstacles with apparent ease. All the Democrats who know Mr. Johnson concede that he possesses all these qualifications.

IRVINGTON.  
Miss Tula Lockard left Monday for Carlisle, Ind., where she will visit for a month, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Con Brand.

Mrs. Mullen, of Cloverport, came up last week and is spending ten days the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Ed McAfee.

Miss Lucy K. Knady left for Jeffersonville Thursday after a week's visit to Rev. and Mrs. L. K. May.

Miss Nell Brown, of Guston, is visiting Miss Irene Bandy this week.

Miss Margaret Beard and cousin, Miss Lillian Beard, of Hardinsburg, spent the week end with Mrs. Nora Board at her home on Woodland ave.

Miss Hawes, of Owensboro, came up Saturday and is spending this week as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hawes.

Mrs. Louis H. Jolly left Thursday for Russellville for a week's visit to her sister, Miss Claire Jolly. She will attend the Logan College commencement exercises of which Miss Jolly is a graduate.

Miss Jessie Brady spent the first part of the week in Louisville with her sister, Mrs. Tony McCoy.

Rev. Harry Maitland preached two excellent sermons to a large and appreciative audience last Sunday. The series of meetings will continue as long as the present interest is taken.

Dr. Hilary Boone, of Cloverport, spent Monday and Tuesday in the city doing all kinds of dental work.

Farmers report that the wheat is beginning to head out rapidly, but low to the ground, which will make the straw short and small. It is thought the cause is due to the recent unseasonable weather.

Mrs. Grace Conover, of Owensboro, was the guest of Miss Eva McGlothlin for a few days. She left Tuesday for Cincinnati where she will visit relatives for several months.

Mrs. H. H. Kemper arrived home Thursday from Gratz, Ky., where she was called on account of the illness of her mother-in-law.

Mrs. S. Evans, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. T. C. Kitterman, left Friday for Corydon, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cornwall left Saturday for Louisville to be the guests of their daughter, Mrs. E. R. Turner.

Mrs. Jas. Bolin and daughter, Reba, who have been visiting in Fordsville for the past few days, have returned



CAKE, hot biscuit, pastries, are lessened in cost and increased in quality and wholesomeness, by

# ROYAL

## Baking Powder

Bake the food at home and save money and health

## Breckenridge County Man Makes Good at State Capital

Frankfort, Ky., May 17.--Two important appointments were made today by Dr. Ben L. Bruner, Secretary of State. W. Sherman Ball was appointed Assistant Secretary of State and Jas. F. Ramey, of Eddyville, was appointed bank clerk in the Secretary of State's office to succeed Mr. Ball. The appointments become effective on the resignation of Capt. Jackson Morris as Assistant Secretary of State to accept the place as secretary to the Governor. Capt. Morris handed in his resignation this afternoon and Dr. Bruner at once appointed Mr. Ball to fill the vacancy. The appointment



home.  
Mrs. R. B. McGlothlin spent Friday and Saturday in Hardinsburg.

O. S. Lawrence, of Dallas, Texas, arrived last week and is the guest of his sister, Mrs. H. B. Head.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Brite spent the week end as guests of Misses May and Blanch Claycomb in Louisville.

Mrs. Allie Claycomb and children, who have been living in Louisville the past year, came down Thursday and will occupy their same residence on Maple street.

Mrs. Nellie McClintock, of Louisville, is the guest of her sister, Miss Mary Cornwall.

Miss Lillian Stith, of Guston, is the guest of the Misses Bandy for a week.

George Piggott left last week for Indianapolis for a visit to his aunt, Mrs. Ruben Miller.

The Irvington mill will furnish the water supply to the row of new tenant houses being built by the Building and Loan Association on the corner of Main and Maple streets.

At a meeting of the Commercial Club committees were appointed to investigate the Normal for our city. The plans and specifications are under consideration and will probably materialize at an early date. A number of new members were added and much enthusiasm manifested.

Little Miss Minish, of Frankfort, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. H. H. Kemper.

Mrs. Harry DeMont left for Louisville Saturday after being the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ashcraft.

Mrs. Julian Clarkson came over from Big Spring Tuesday for a visit to relatives.

Friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Avitt have received cards announcing the arrival in Seattle, Washington, of another fine girl, Mrs. Avitt was formerly Miss Ellen McGee, of this town. Mr. Avitt is a Breckenridge county man and is now having great success in his adopted home.

If the best is not too good for you Lewisport Best flour is the flour you ought to use.

Wright-Muselman.  
Irvington, Ky., May 24.--(Special.)--Mrs. Lena Wright and Mr. Thos. Muselman were married Saturday at Guston. They will live in this city and have a host of friends here.

was confirmed by Gov. Willson, who said that he thought the appointment an excellent one. Mr. Ball then was sworn in as Assistant Secretary of State. He is familiar with his duties, having acted in the capacity of Assistant Secretary of State several times before.

Mr. Ball is from Breckenridge county and is one of the most popular men employed at the Capitol. He has been in charge of the banks for the Secretary of State for more than a year and has more than made good in that department.

Mr. Ball has a remarkable record in the Republican party. When he was only 21 years of age he was the Republican nominee for Circuit Clerk of his district and was beaten by only twenty six votes, which was regarded as an unusual showing for a Republican candidate that year. He is a licensed attorney and taught school prior to his entry into politics. He is a Mason, an Elk and a member of the W. O. W. Mr. Ball has always done his work well and he will make a splendid Assistant Secretary of State, his friends say.

## Cannelton Marriage.

Cannelton, Ind., May 21.--The most notable event of the week in social circles was the marriage of Miss Emma Richards to Frank Stein, Jr., of Chicago, which took place in St. Michael's church, the Rev. G. H. Moss officiating. Miss Elizabeth Morgan, of Owensboro, acted as maid of honor, and Thomas Radigan, of Robinson, Ill., was best man. Following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride.

## Will Return Here.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Warfield are expected here soon from the south to make their home in this city and will live in the Wilkerson property. They are old home folks, just coming back, and will be welcomed by their friends.

## Improved Home

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Boyd has been freshly painted in white and gray and is one of the prettiest places in the East End.

## Go To Bowling Green

Prof. Tanner and Miss Eunice Jennings went to Bowling Green this week to take a teachers course. The other members of the C. H. S. faculty expect to go later.

## Fishing Party

Mrs. Robert Pierce chaperoned a fishing party to Patton's pond Saturday. The guests were Misses Francis Sawyer, Eloise Nolte, Lenora McGavock, Elizabeth Skillman and Eldred Babbage, Ruth Pate and Fred Pierce.

## Lyons' Being Fixed Up.

Lyons' restaurant at Irvington is being newly papered and painted. The chicken sandwiches will "eat" better than ever followed by a slice of custard pie and a glass of cold ice milk.